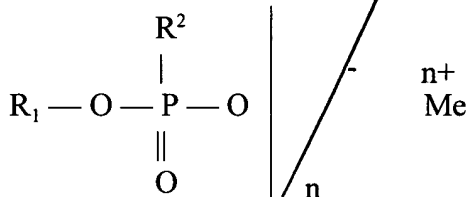


1. (Amended) A fertilizer composition for stimulating growth in plants comprising:

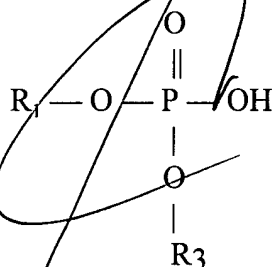
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a growth stimulating effective amount of at least a first salt selected from a group consisting of  $[K_2HPO_4]$   $K_2HPO_3$ ,  $KH_2PO_3$  and  $K_3PO_3$ ; and a second salt selected from a group consisting of  $K_2HPO_4$ ,  $KH_2PO_4$  and  $K_3PO_4$ .

7. (Amended) A composition for fertilizing comprising:

a growth stimulating effective amount of at least a first salt having the following formula:



and a second salt having the following formula:



where  $R_1$  is selected from the group consisting of H, K, an alkyl radical containing from 1 to 4 carbon atoms, halogen-substituted alkyl or nitro-substituted alkyl radical, an alkenyl, halogen-substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, halogen-substituted alkynyl, alkoxy-substituted alkyl radical, and ammonium substituted by alkyl or hydroxy alkyl radicals;

$R_2$  and  $R_3$  are selected from [a] the group consisting of H and K;

B2 Me is selected from [a] the group consisting of K, alkaline earth metal cations,  
[or] aluminum atom[;], and ammonium cation; and

n is a whole number from 1 to 3, equal to the valence of Me.

11. (Amended) A [fungicidal/fertilizer] composition for stimulating growth  
and controlling fungus disease in plants comprising from about .25% vol./vol. to about  
5% vol./vol. of a phosphite salt and a phosphate salt mixture.

12. (Amended) A composition according to claim [10] 11 wherein the  
phosphite salt and the phosphate salt each comprise about 1/2% by weight of the  
composition.

B3 13. (Amended) A composition according to claim [10] 11 which is aqueous.

Please add claims 14 through 19 as follows.

14. A composition for enhancing growth of plants and for controlling  
pathogens in plants, comprising enhanced pathogen-controlling effective and growth-  
response effective amounts of phosphate and phosphonate.

B4 15. The composition of claim 14, comprising amounts of phosphonate to be  
effective in the control of pathogens and growth-response effective amounts of  
phosphate.

16. The composition of claim 14, comprising a amount of phosphate  
effective to eliminate pathological acerbation of the growth of Ascomycete fungus by  
the phosphonate.

17. The composition of claim 14, wherein the phosphate is a potassium  
phosphate salt.